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1. Last week a request came up to the Czechoslovak General Staff to urge the VTU (Vojenský Technický Ústav-Army Technical Institute) to establish a large artillery range in the Lower Tatra mountains.
2. The staff officers argued that the established ranges Mimon, Mariánské Lázně, Moravský Beroun and Český Krumlov could easily handle the training fire of the largest Czech gun (19 km).
3. The chief of the Institute however requires the range for experimental fire of new weapons and declared that within six months he would have a guided missile ready for experimentation.
4. It has been decided that negotiations should be undertaken with the Poles for the right to conduct experimental guided missile fire directed toward the Baltic.

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